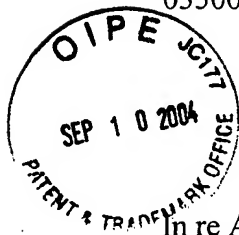


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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Katsuhisa MOCHIZUKI

Appln. No.: 10/005,697

Filed: December 7, 2001

For: FLEXIBLE WIRING FILM, AND
SEMICONDUCTOR APPARATUS AND
SYSTEM USING THE SAME

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated May 21, 2004, for one month, from August 25, 2004 to September 25, 2004. (The Amendment filed July 21, 2004 was filed within two months of the mailing date of the Official Action. However, the Advisory Action dated August 25, 2004 was not mailed within three months of the mailing date of the Official Action. Accordingly, the three-month shortened statutory period for reply is reset to expire as of the mailing date of the Advisory Action. See MPEP § 706.07(f).)

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in, or overpayment of, this fee should be charged, or credited to, Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this petition is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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